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COVENANT COLLEGE
"In All Things . . . Christ The Pre-Eminent"
1955
1980
25th
ANNIVERSARY YEAR
Twenty-five years of Thanksgivings

Covenant College 1955-1980

The first Covenant graduating class of 1955 numbered three, while nearly ninety-five graduated in 1980. During the years between, almost one thousand others took their degrees from the college. Many faculty members, trustees, administrators, and staff people watched as these graduates passed the halls and finished their studies. Their sacrifice has given shape to the twenty-five year old Christian liberal arts college called Covenant.

1980 is the year we celebrate the Silver Anniversary of our college. It's a year of rejoicing before the Lord and celebrating what we have been and what we are now after 25 years. For we wouldn't be what we are today without our beginnings — our past. It's a year of remembering, a year of appreciating all that Covenant College is made of. The twenty-two students in Pasedena where it all began are a part of the four hundred and sixty-two on Lookout Mountain where we are now.

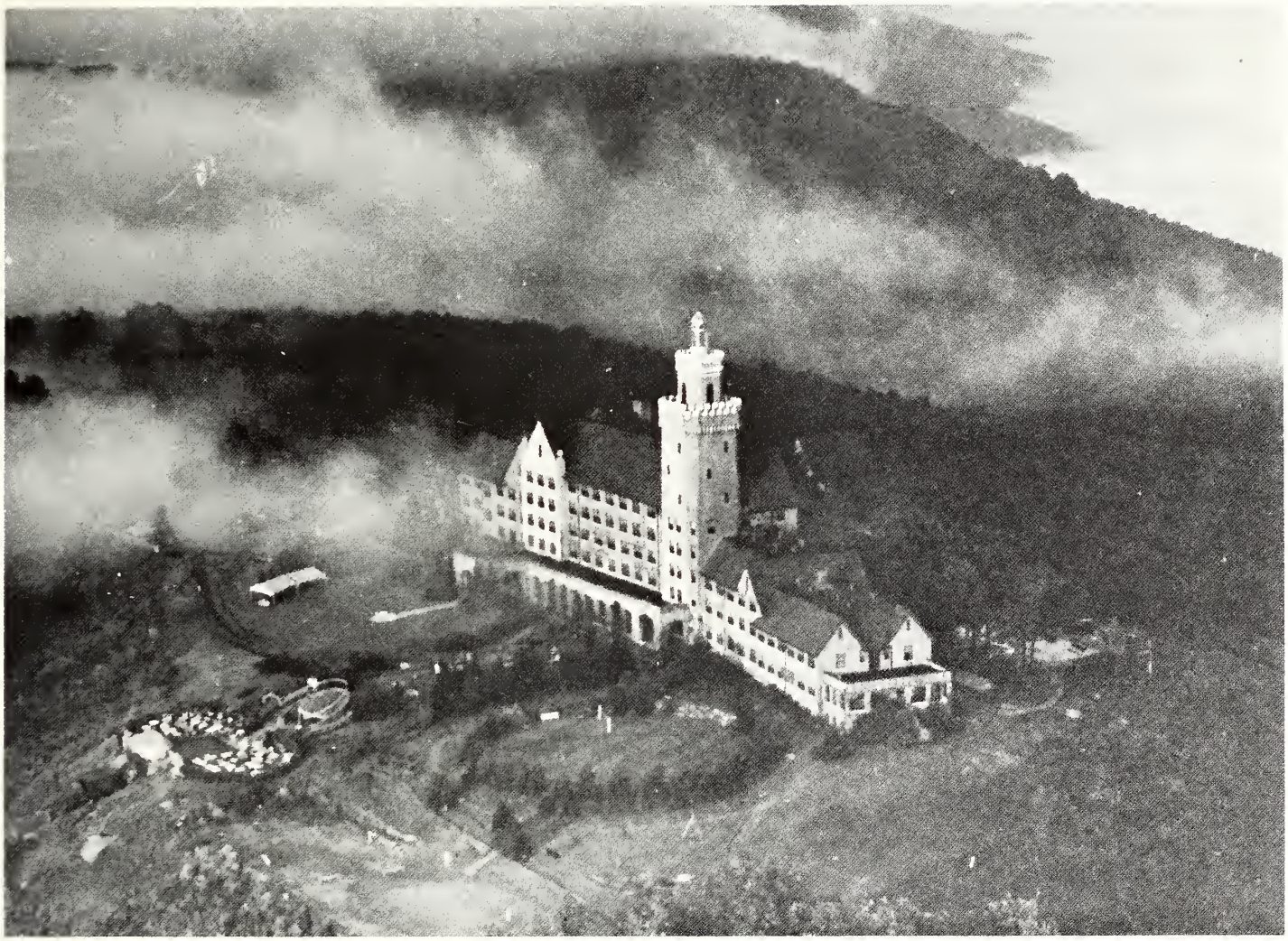
The founders of Covenant College were convinced that young people needed the opportunity for a Christian liberal arts education, not just a Christian environment for college years. The vision was for a school in which all disciplines would be taught as they relate to each other and to Christ pre-eminent. Robert Rayburn, with the help of Rudolph Schmidt, set forth to accomplish this task of starting such a college that would be based on the rich theological heritage of a large body of believers, the Reformed faith. They kept a positive front and a determined spirit, working hard with much self-sacrifice. They ignited the spark and kept it alive, for they knew that their purpose was to the glory of God. The move to a separate facility on Lookout Mountain was a new beginning for the college. The time of excitement was mixed with reluctance to leave a place where roots were deep. The campus on the mountain has changed with time, and so have Covenant students. Yet the ultimate purpose that our founders began with is still in our hearts.

This is the year we celebrate that the Lord has brought us through twenty-five years of growth. During this Silver Anniversary year, we are reminded that silver is often used in a figurative sense for something that is refined or pure. The Lord had dealt with Covenant all these years, often in ways of testing and trying. "For thou, O God, hast proved us; Thou hast tried us, as silver is tried." Psalm 66:10. We reflect on our past and thank the Lord for How He has and is still refining us. And we are confident that He will continue this work in and through us at Covenant.

We study all academic disciplines as they relate to each other, to ourselves, and to our Creator. The ability to pursue knowledge and understanding of our world is something we value as a gift of God.

Covenant College began in 1955 at 190 North Oak Street, Pasedena, California, the home of Dr. Robert Rayburn. President Rayburn and his wife were housed in the same building as the twenty-two students who made up the student body that first year. Classes were held at Pasedena City Church, and the house at 190 North Oak was the center of student life. Dr. Rayburn often challenged those students that these were the beginnings of something bigger.

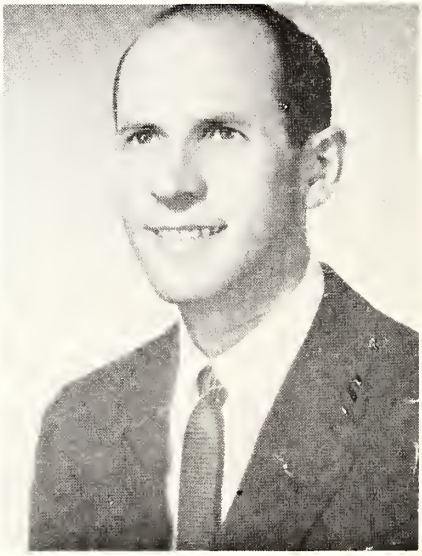
The next year, Covenant College travelled across the country to St. Louis, Missouri, the sight of their new campus, along with Covenant Theological Seminary. Under Dr. Rayburn's presidency, the student body grew from 60 to 150. The eight years Covenant spent in St. Louis were exciting times as well as times of self-sacrifice. Some of the highlights of those years were the organization of Covenant's first soccer team and chorale, and the donation of a twenty room house which greatly expanded the campus facilities.

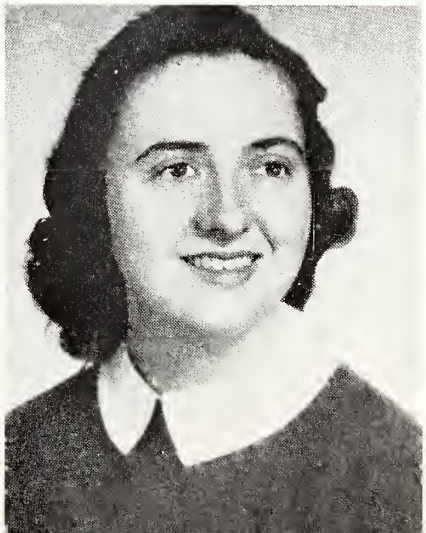


In 1964, the Covenant Board of Trustees decided to purchase the "Castle in the Clouds" resort hotel in Lookout Mountain, Tennessee, for a new location where Covenant could expand. The student body in St. Louis raised $25,000.00 that year towards the purchase of the new building.

For eight years, from 1964-1972, Covenant students ate, slept, studied, and attended classes all in the one building. It was the only building on campus until 1972, when the gym, new dorm, and library were built during the presidency of Dr. Marion Barnes. The castle was orignally built in 1928 as a resort hotel, styled after an actual Bavarian castle. Later the building was named Carter Hall, after Paul Carter, a Chattanooga businessman who donated five-hundred acres of mountain land to the college in the early seventies. Renovation of Carter Hall began in 1978, the same year Dr. Martin Essenberg became president.

Daily chapel services and study of God's Word are part of our lives at Covenant. We view our creative expression through musical, dramatic, and visual arts as a means of worship.





Physical discipline is important to our development as individuals. We grow together through healthy competition and valuable fellowship in teams sports.

ROBERT G. RAYBURN, PRESIDENT, 1955-65

As founder of Covenant College, Dr. Rayburn provided the leadership essential to the growth of a fledging college. Trained at Wheaton College, Omaha Presbyterian Theological Seminary and Dallas Seminary, he served for several years as pastor and also as chaplain in the U.S. Army. When he returned to civilian life he accepted the presidency of Highland College (which a year later became Covenant College), and during his ten-year tenure at Covenant, he supplied the energy and vision which produced growth in the beginning years.

MARION D. BARNES, PRESIDENT, 1965-78

The far-reaching vision and tireless work of Dr. Barnes resulted in significant achievements for the college, among them accreditation, the construction of four major buildings on campus, and the growth of the overall college assets to over $9 million. Dr. Barnes earned his M.A. and doctoral degree at Columbia University. He came to Covenant after a career as a research chemist and teacher. From 1960-65, the years before his tenure at Covenant, he served as Director of Industrial Research in Washington, D.C. while simultaneously serving as chairman of Covenant's board of trustees.

MARTIN ESSENBURG, PRESIDENT, 1978 -

A career in education, which included heading a large Christian school system in Holland, Michigan, and serving as headmaster of the Christian Academy in Japan, supplied the background which Martin Essenburg brings to the presidency of Covenant today. He was also a lecturer on the Philosophy of Christian Education at the Japan Christian Theological Seminary and an instructor in statistics for the Far East Division of the University of Maryland during his stay in Japan. He holds a Ph.D. and M.A. from the University of Michigan. His quiet dignity and strong leadership has greatly affected the Covenant community.

All the work and sacrifice of Covenant College's past was certainly not in vain. II Corinthians 15: 5-8, "They that labor in the Lord labor not in vain." The reward of all this labor is the growth and development of godliness in the lives of Covenant alumni. Whether they may be found teaching at a Christian school in California, working at a children's home in India, practicing nursing in Jordan, working for BM in North Carolina, being a housewife in Washington, practicing medicine in Tennessee, working as a journalist in Asheville, or teaching as a seminary professor in Chile, Covenant College graduates have a real understanding of an integration of life and worship. They live a life of offering to God in their careers, their families, and their churches. Covenant seeks to instill in its graduates a real sense of responsibility to the kingdom of God.

In every era of Covenant's existence there have been people who have dedicated their lives to the idea of a Christian liberal arts college where young adults are taught to see every discipline and area of life under the Lordship of Christ. Thus, every year since the beginning of Covenant, students have graduated with this mind set of Christ Pre-eminent in all things, and are living their lives responsibly before God. Covenant College is making an impact on our world, and will continue to make an impact for years to come. "And He shall sit as a refiner and purifier of silver . . . that they may offer unto the Lord an offering in righteousness." Malachi 3:3.

All for Jesus! All for Jesus!
All my being's ransomed powers:
All my thoughts and words and doings,
All my days and all my hours.

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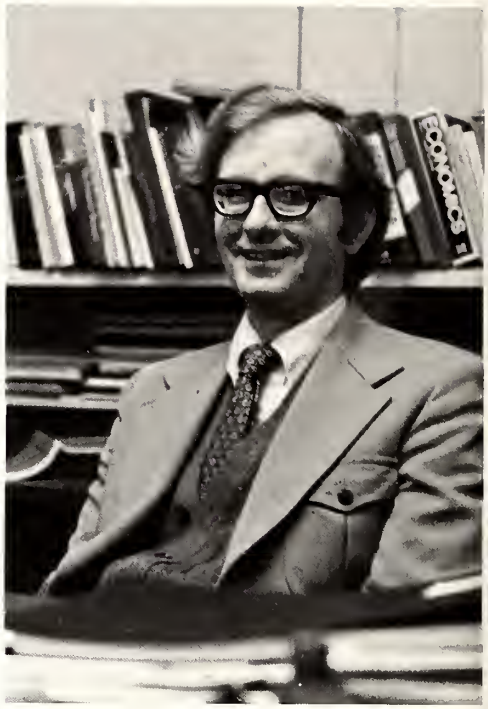

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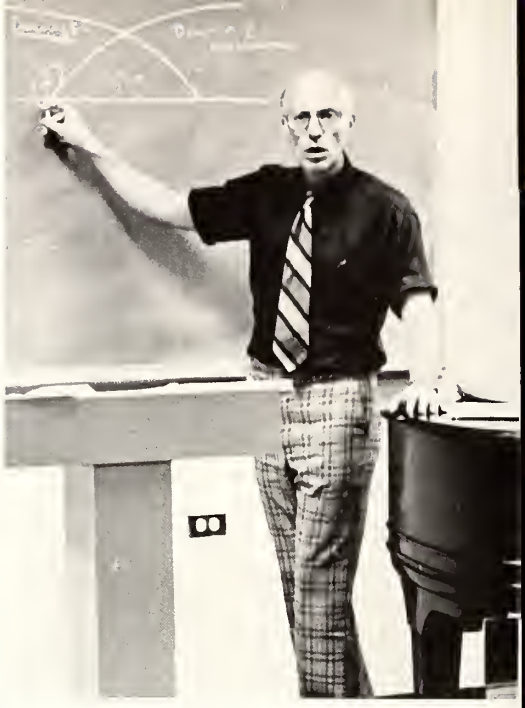

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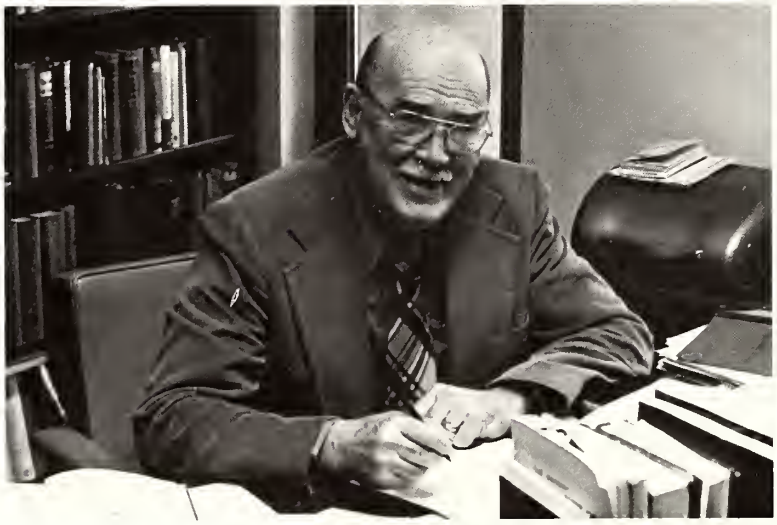

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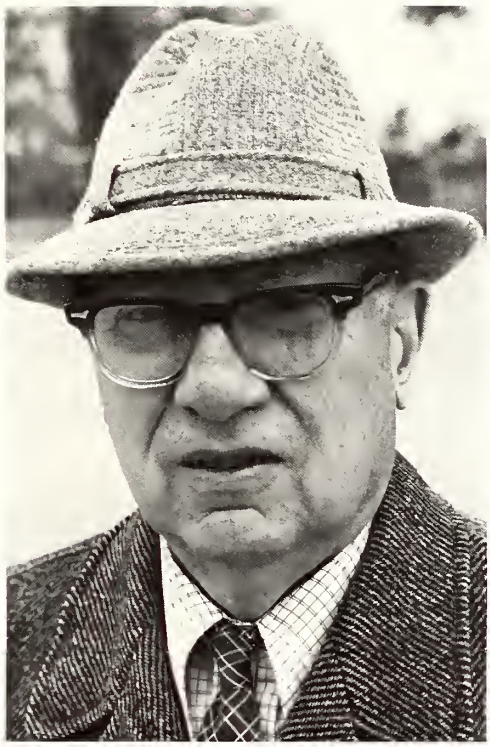

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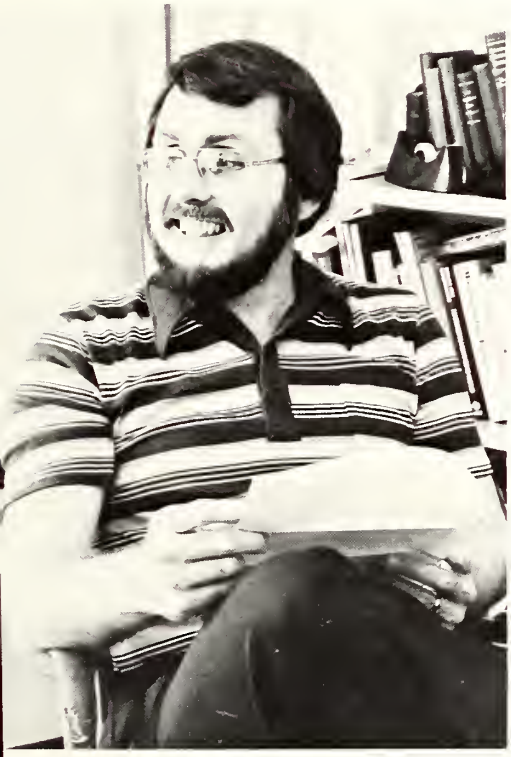

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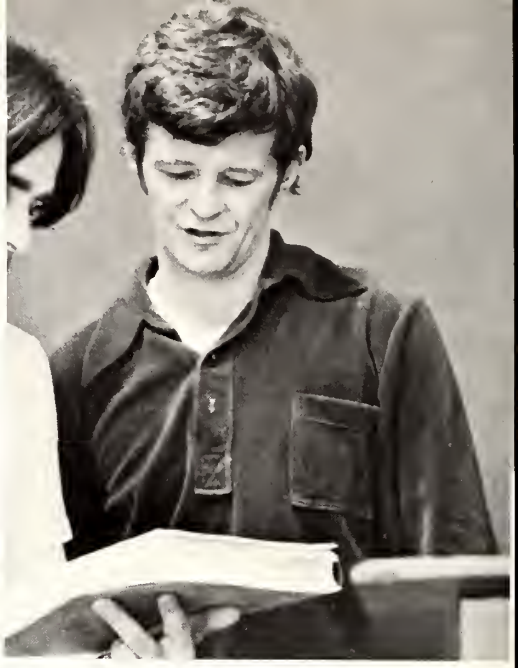

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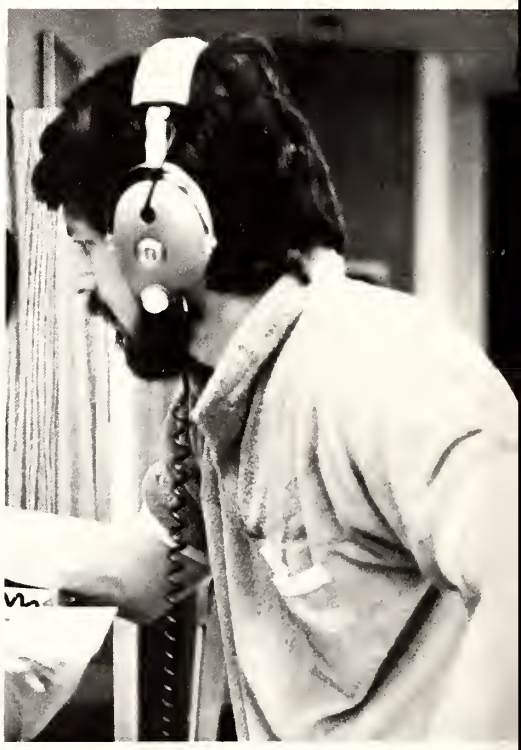

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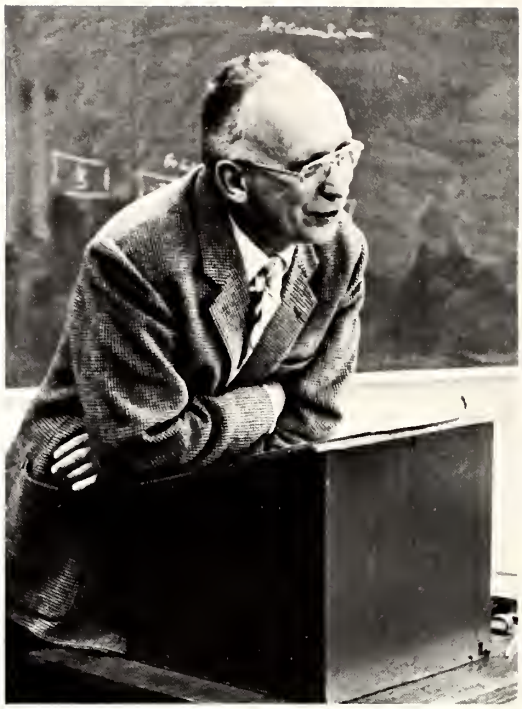

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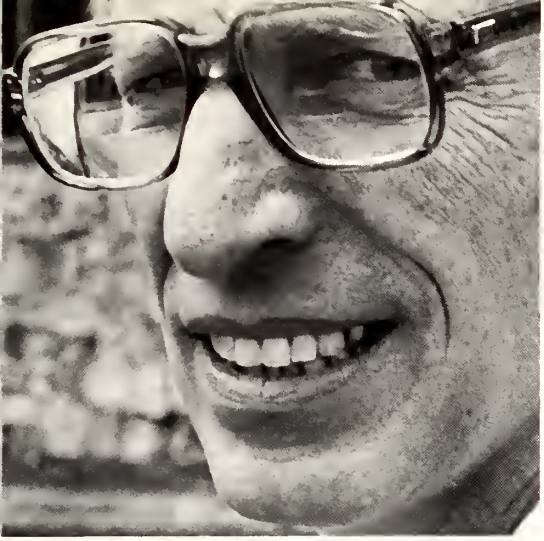

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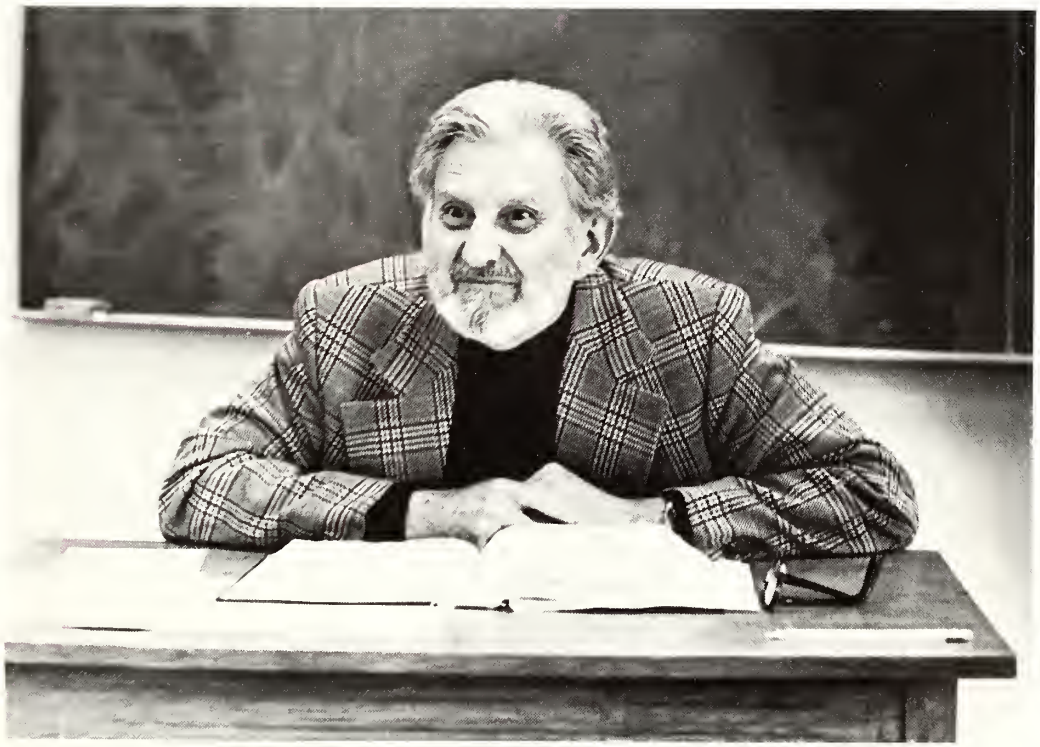

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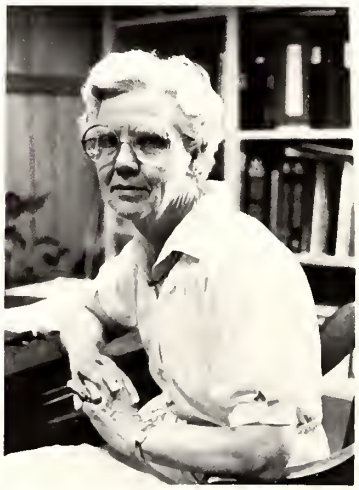

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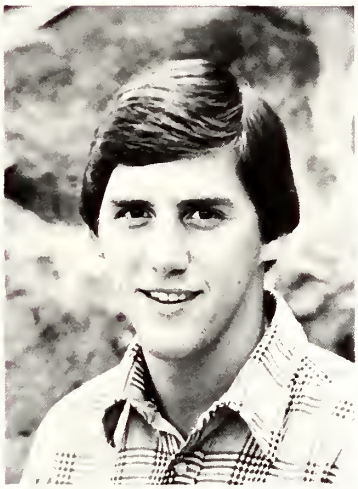

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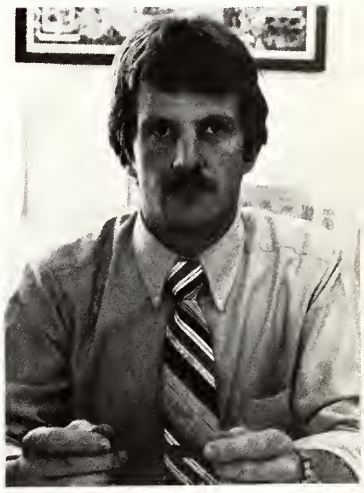

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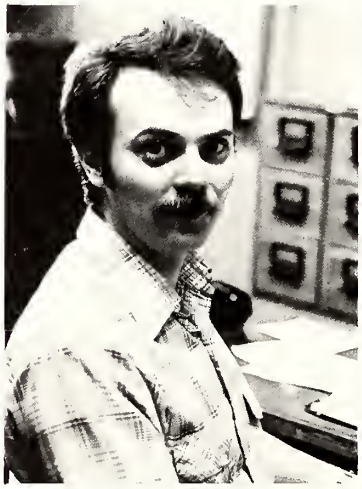

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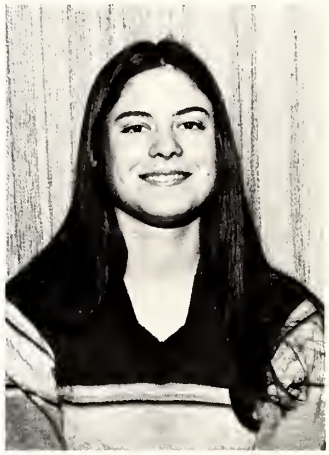

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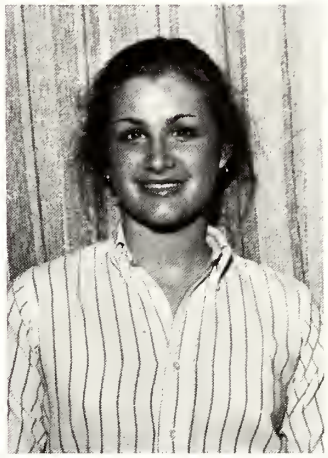

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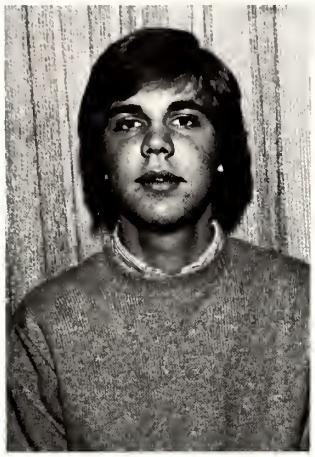

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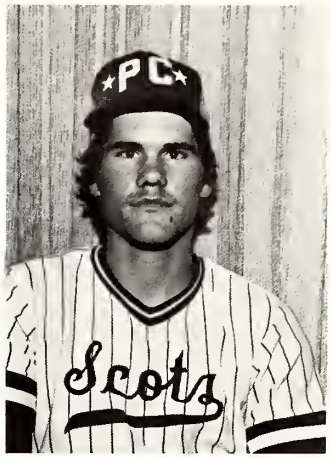

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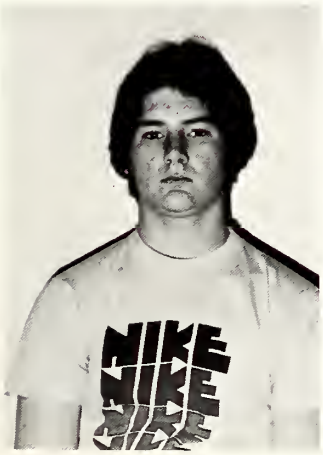

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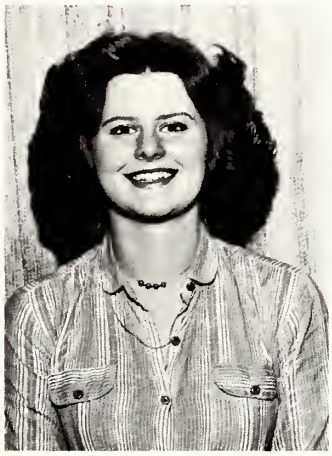

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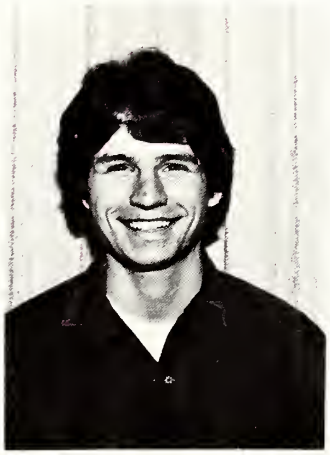

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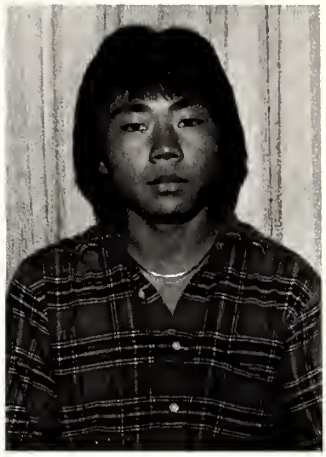

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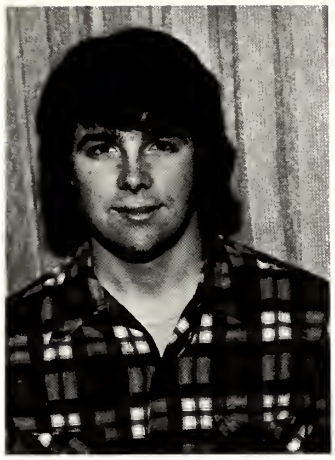

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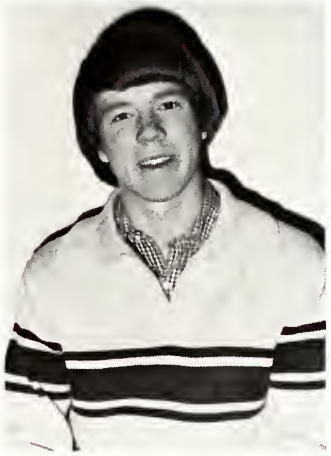

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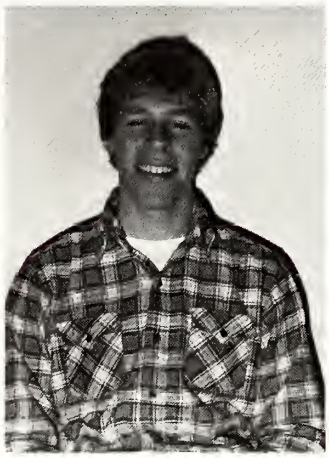

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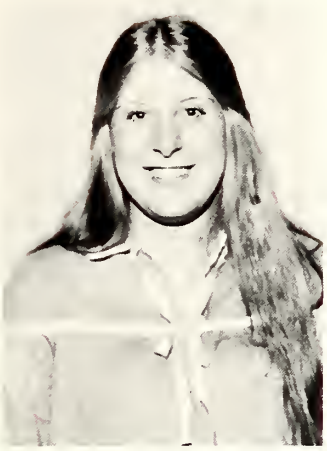

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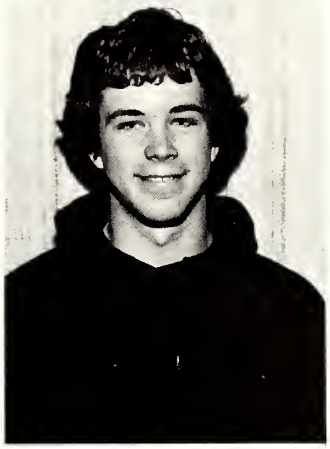

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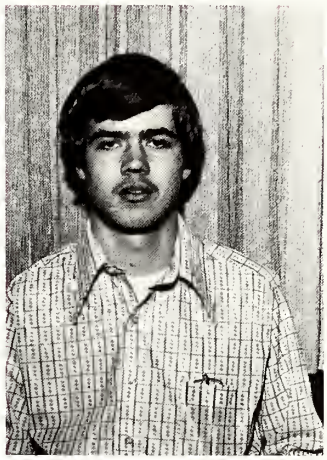

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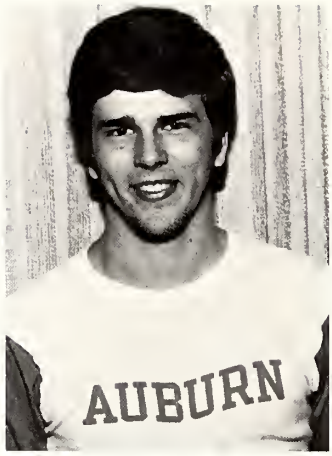

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Aldie, Va.

Cathy Uzdilla
Levittown, Pa.

Pat Vasterling
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Amy Waid
Valdosta, Ga.

Alan Waldecker
Coulterville, Ill.

Alexis Watson
Clinton, Miss.

Barb Watterson
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Ruth Westra
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Carl Wiersema
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Charysse Alexander
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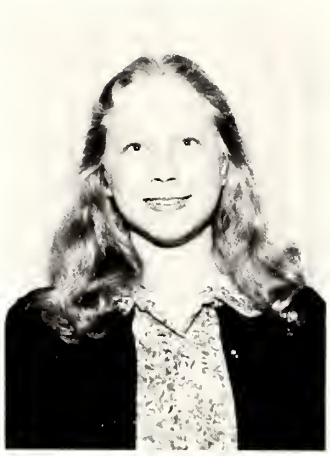

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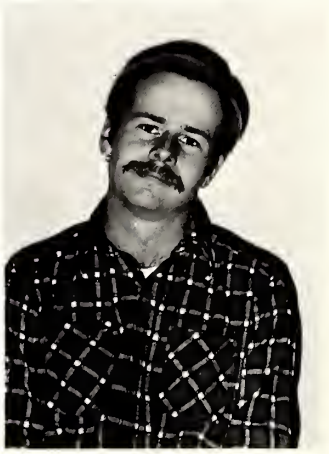

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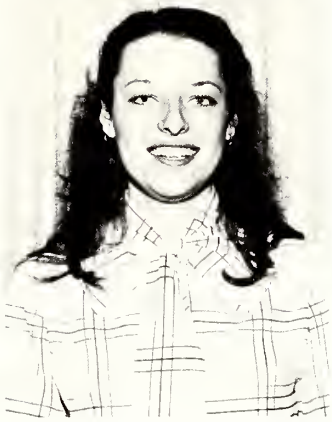

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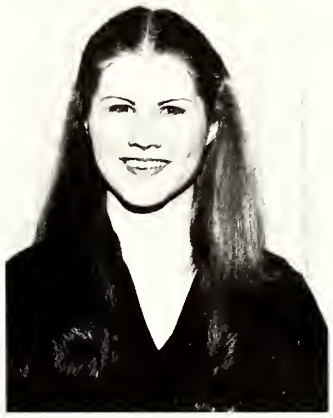

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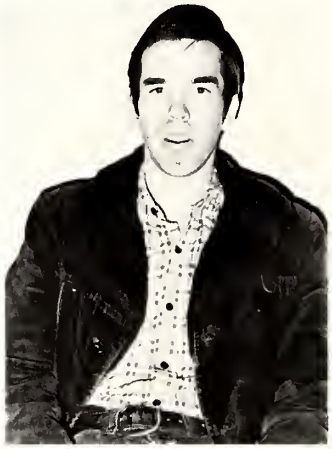

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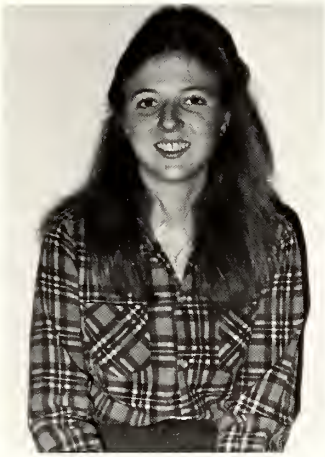

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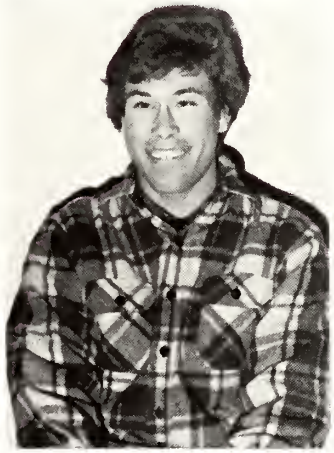

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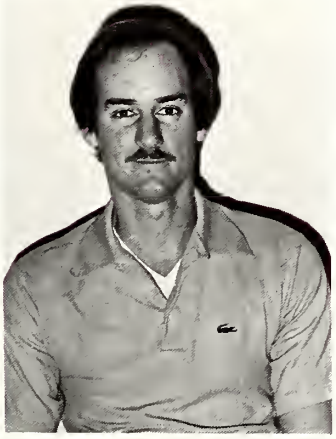

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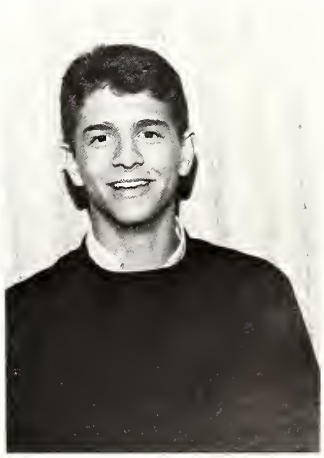

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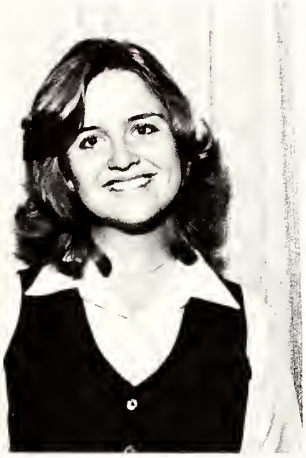

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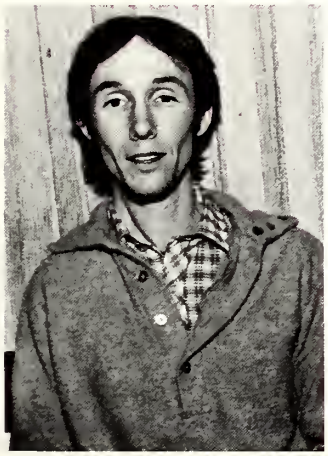

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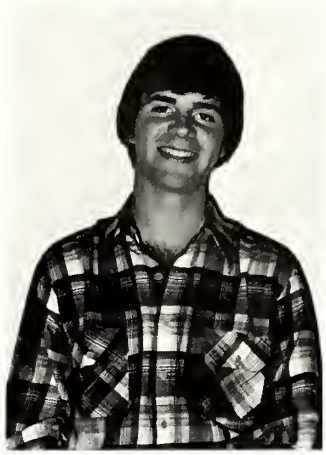

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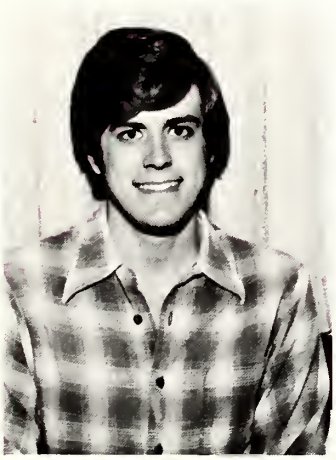

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Manuel Bersach
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Gastonia, N.C.

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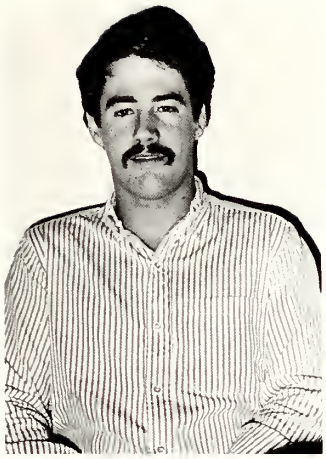

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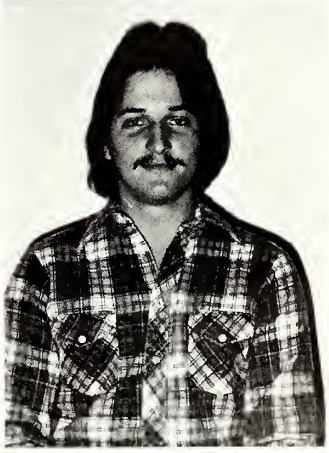

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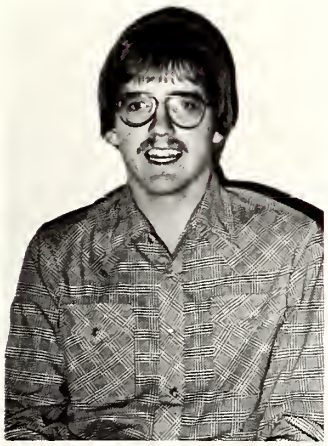

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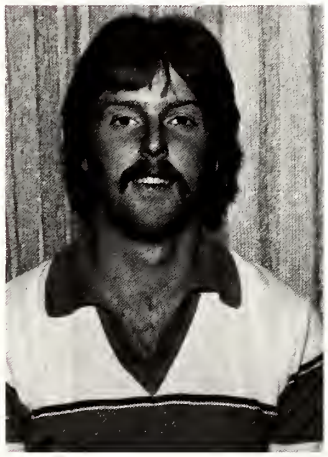

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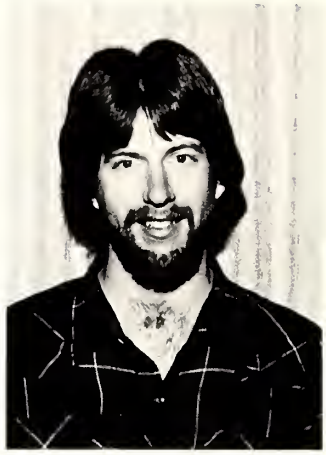

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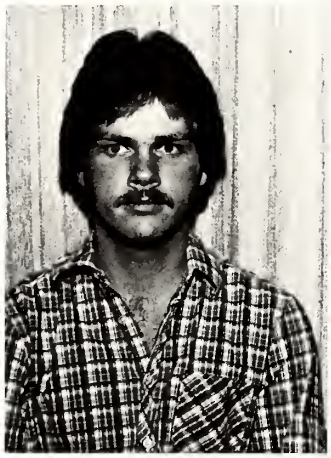

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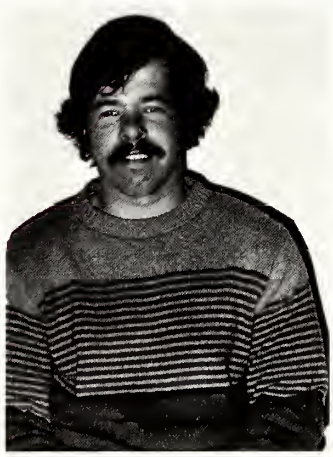

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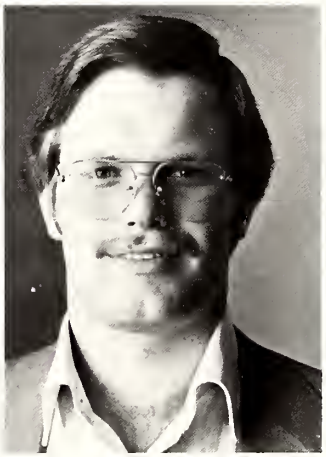

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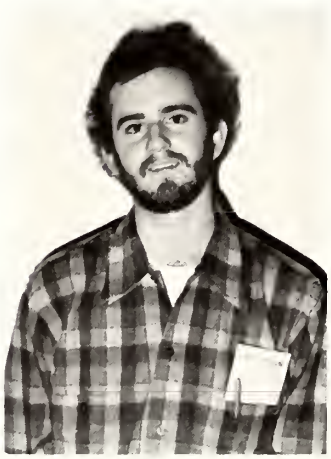

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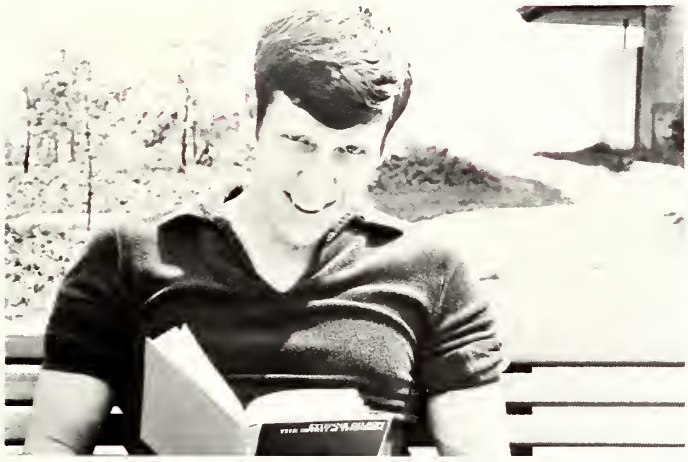

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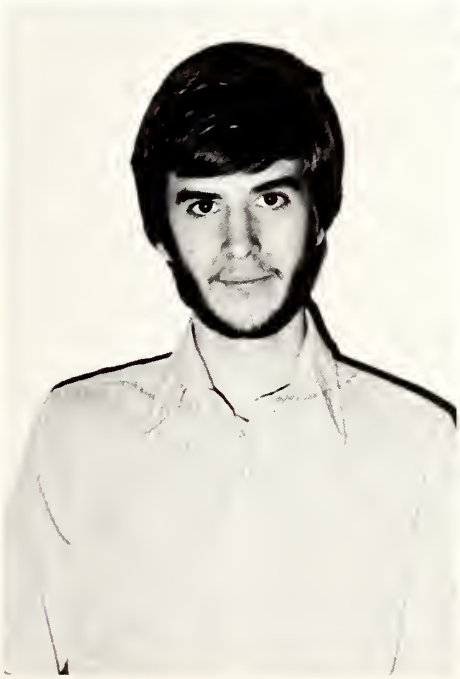

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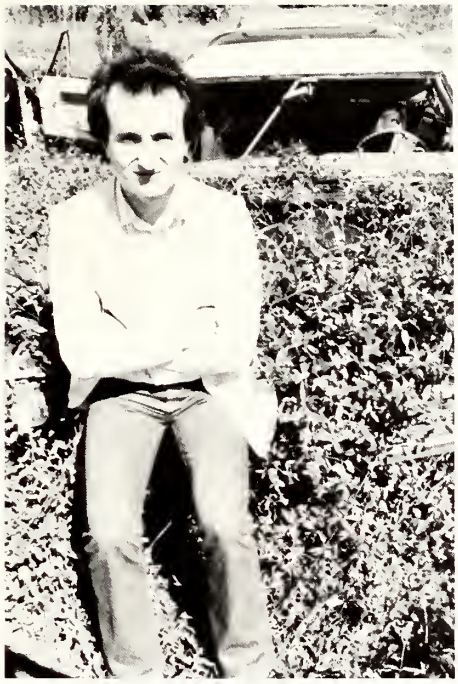

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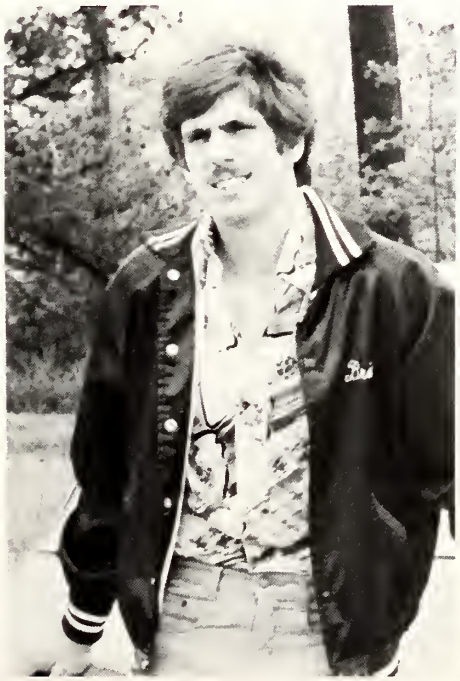

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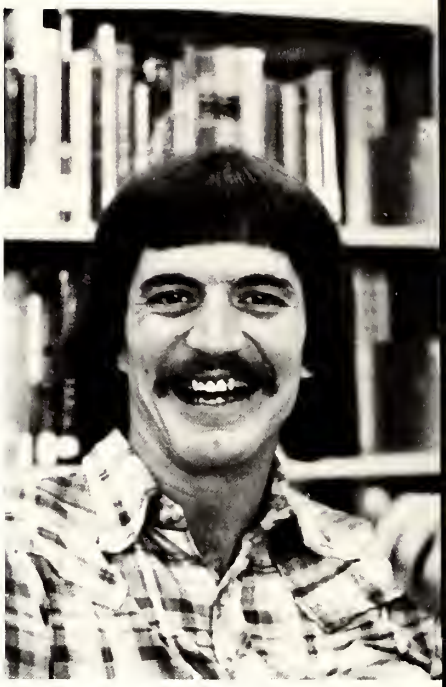

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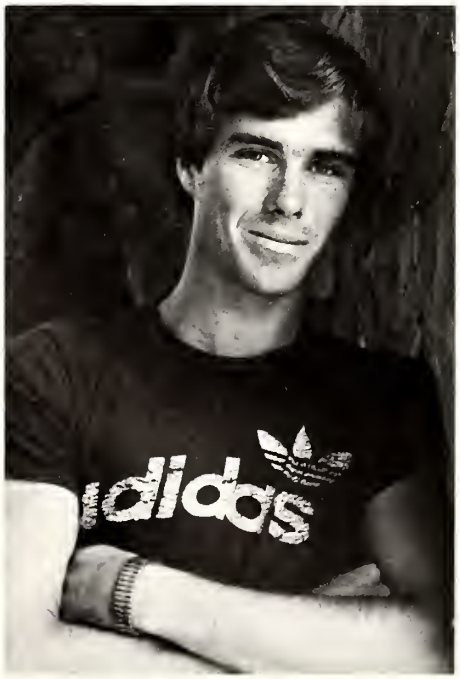

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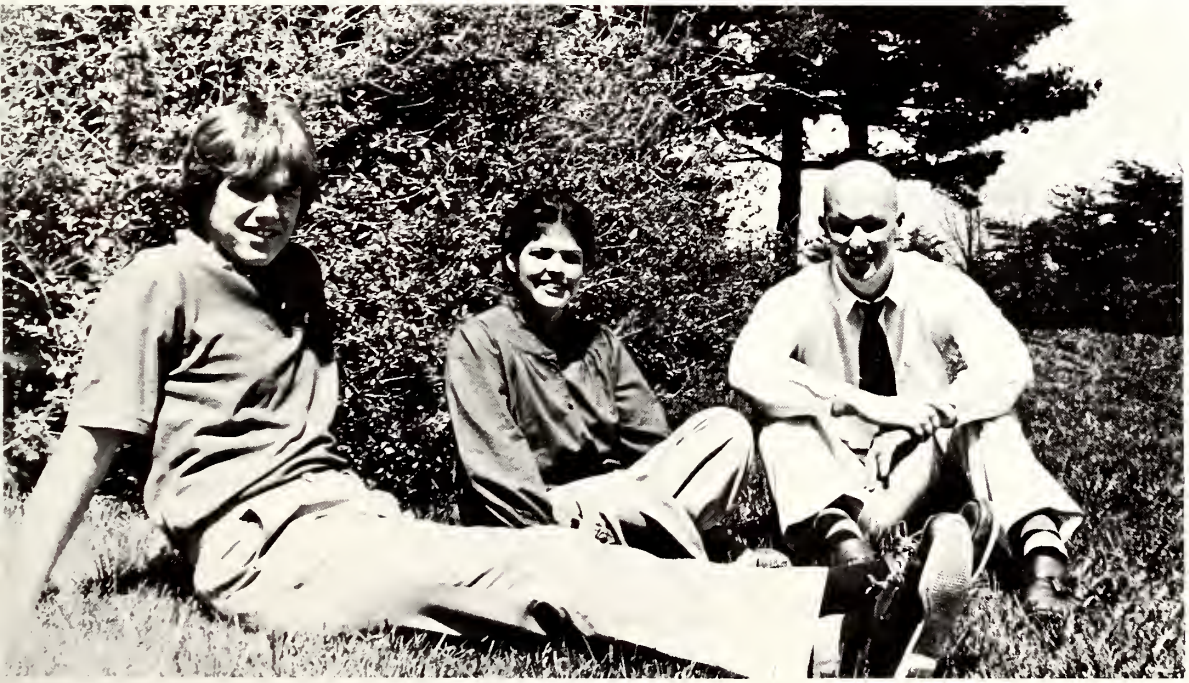

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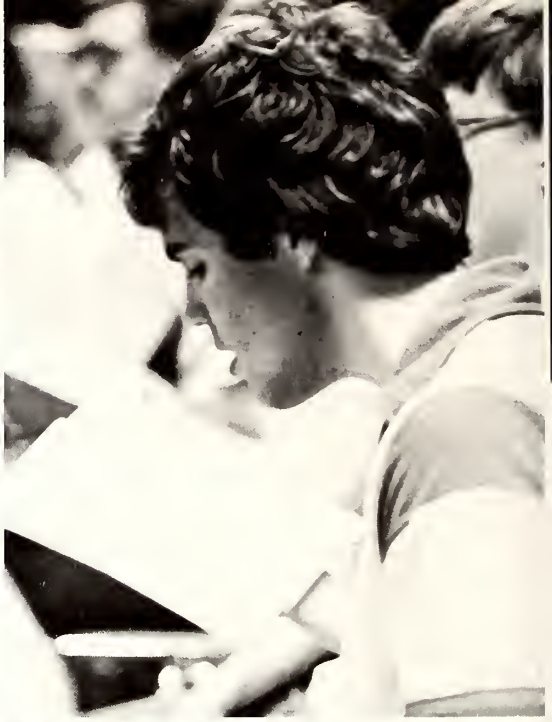

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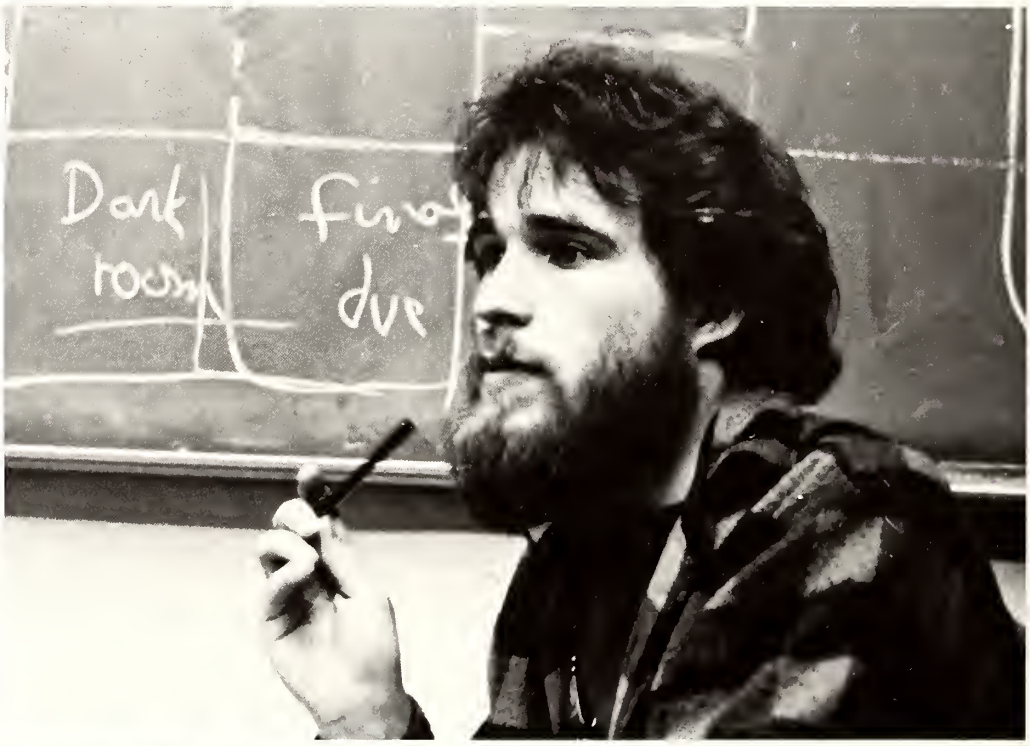

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SPORTS 1980

Super Scots Soccer '79

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Great aniticipation preceeded the opening whistle to start this year's soccer squad. Potentially, this team had the making of a champion, and as the season progressed, few people were disappointed. Spirited team play and an amazing defense highlighted the '79 campaign. The Scots finished the year with a 13-2-5 record, winning the Covenant Invitational over Spring Arbor, who finished 3rd in the national playoffs, and winning the SCAC tournament with a resounding 3-0 win over Temple. Five Scots were named to the SCAC All-Star Team. They were Kenny Lee, B.J. York, Tom Lochstampfor, Jochen Becker, and Buck Roebuck. Kenny Lee set a school record with 10 shut-outs and B.J. York smashed the goal with a scoring record of 24. Few will forget Coach Bowman's squad this year for they provided thrills and entertainment for all of their loyal fans.

Lady Scots Volleyball

Diana Monson, coach; George Aber, manager, Bob Powell, manager. Sandy Alecxih, Becky Beall, Tracy Brown, Merry Dykeman, Lory Johnson, Cindy Schmidt, Ruth Stewart, Marlayne Vandenburg, Alexis Watson. Sandy Streelow, captain; Elaine Dreyer.

The volleyball season this year proved to be a disappointing one with a record of 8-15. Although there was a constant struggle to develop a team ffort and motivation, the girls did a good job for new players with a new coach. The highlight of the season was the SCAC tournament in which the Lady Scots took first place. Diana Monson received "Coach of the Year" award. Merry Dykeman, Sandy Strelow, and Marlayne Vandenburg were chosen to the SCAC All-Tournament team. Marlayne was also chosen MVP for the second year in a row.

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Covenant Cross Country, Fall '79

Al Mawhinney, Coach; Sam Mietling, Brian Regitko, Tim Morris, Bill Hargrove, Jeff Slenker, Tom Grady, Scott McNutt, Phil Kiratsis, Guy Helms, Lester Badenoch, Jerry Robbins.

This year's cross country team was by far the best team Covenant has ever had. The Covenant record was broken twice this year; first by Sam Mietling 25:49 against Belmont, and then by Brian Regitko in conference meet 25:48. The overall record was 11-12, the conference record was 7-1. Outstanding freshmen runners were Tim Morris and Jeff Slenker. Regitko ranked #2 and Mietling #3 in conference. Congratulations Covenant runners!

SCOTS BASKETBALL 1979-80

Richard Brooks, manager; Gene Fitzgerald, coach; Danny Griffin, Steve Greer, Jeff Klein, Sam Murrell, Larry Barker; Ray Clark, manager; Tim McDonald, Dan McKinley, Bruce Beers, Zack Martin, Tim Owens, Don Knox, David Gerry.

Injury to senior point-guard Bruce Beers and loss of key players dealt the optomistic Scots a serious blow early in the 1979-80 basketball season. However, the "never say die" men in blue refused to throw in the towel. Reinforcements, Sam Murrel, David Gerry and Tim Owens by name, joined the ranks and "Mac" performed well. Second place in the Covenant Invitational, narrow heart-breaking home losses to league rivals Bryan, Temple, and Lee, big on-the-road victories over Toccoa Falls and Atlanta Christian, and a revenge whipping of Sewanee, highlighted the second semester. Greer's slam dunking, Zack's ball-handling, McDonald's driving for loose balls, steady off-the-bench play, Mac's in-traffic scoring, Sam's able defense, Donnie's breakaways, Klein's rebounding and touchdown strikes, and Six's pinpoint passing made the young Scots an exciting and enjoyable team to watch.

Jeff Klein, one of the premier "big men" in Tennessee and Georgia, was all-tournament at Montevallo, Lee, and Covenant, 1st team all SCAC, leading conference and district rebounder, all NCCAA district 5, and second team NCCAA All-American.

Don Knox's 31 points against the University of the South pushing him over the 1000-point mark, made second team all SCAC and climaxed a brilliant year career at Scotland Yard by being named the SCAC Christian Athlete of the Year.

The Scots, characterized by courage, fight, determination, and unity were much better than their record indicated.

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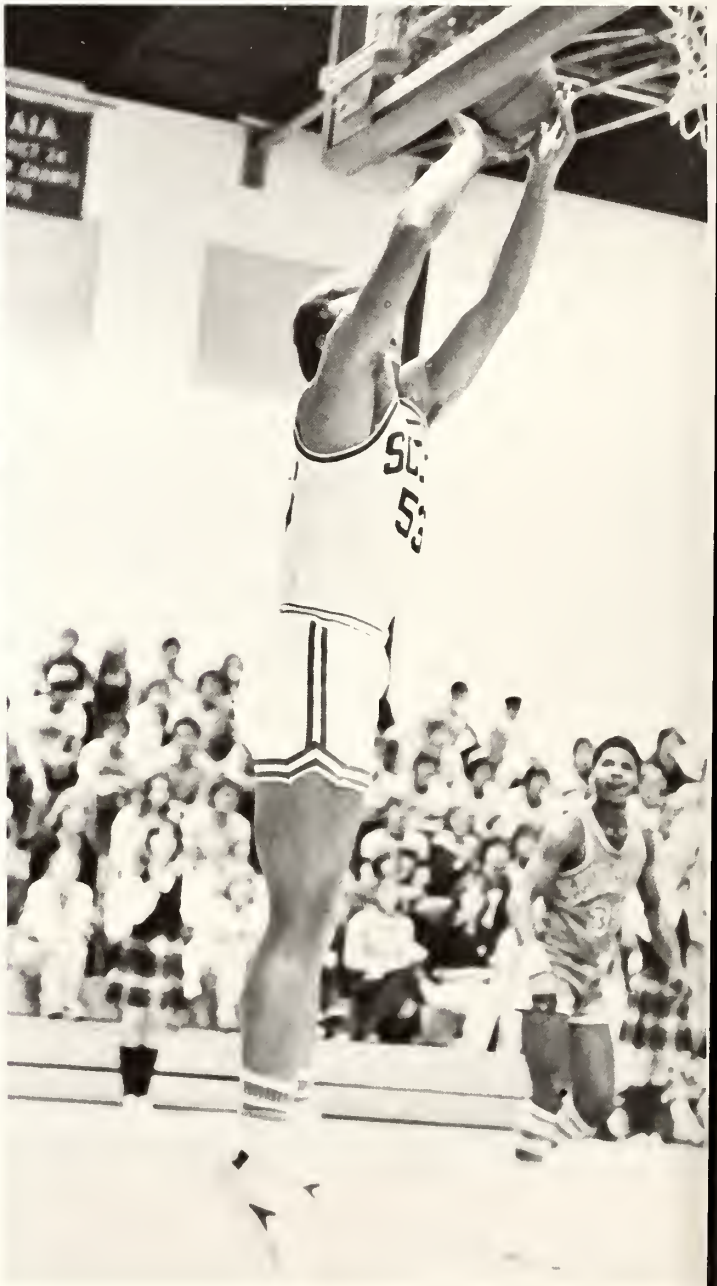

SCOTS
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CHEERLEADERS

Kathy Faulk, Anne Fagan, Beth Colaiuta, Tricia Grimes (captain), Leah George, Susan Mietling. Not pictured: Sheila Curles.

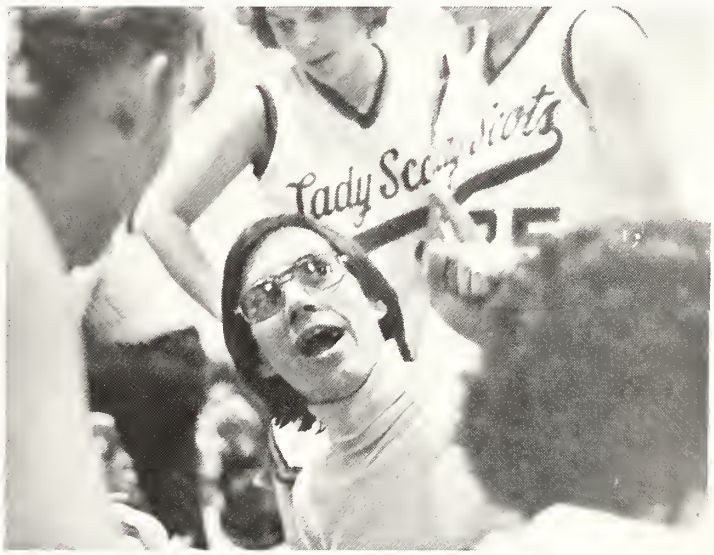
LADY SCOTS BASKETBALL 1979-80

Will Stern, coach; Nancy Roach, Tami Smailek, Marlayne Vandenburg, Sandra Kosmacek, Lynn Devereux, Janet Crumley, Deanna Bell, Carla Royal, Margaret Stockburger. Not pictured: Lori Sprayberry, Pam Metzger.

This year was to be a rebuilding year for the Lady Scots, with the loss of ten players off of last year's very successful team and playing the toughest schedule ever in the history of the school. Things looked bleak at the onset of the season.

With senior Margaret Stockburger, juniors Tami Smailek and Deanna Bell leading the way, the Lady Scots fought to a 10 win and 12 loss season. Included in the victory column was a win over nationally ranked Lee College of Cleveland, Tennessee. Also nine of the losses were to teams ranked in the top fifteen in the nation, with only two of the losses considered blowouts.

There are seven players off this year's squad who will be returning next year, several outstanding recruits and the determination to succeed means that the exciting Lady Scots will once again be on top.



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Big Blue Baseball '80

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FALL 1980

Fall Semester At Covenant Found Us Enjoying Super Scots Soccer,

"I can't believe it."

"Hey, baby, what's happenin'?"

"Let's do a cheer."

"What did you say, buddy? The Scots lose? No way!!"

"Come on, Buck, score!"

. . . Pursuing Our Studies,

"It would help if you turned the light on."

"Hmmm . . . interesting!"

"I'm never wrong."

"The Thinker"

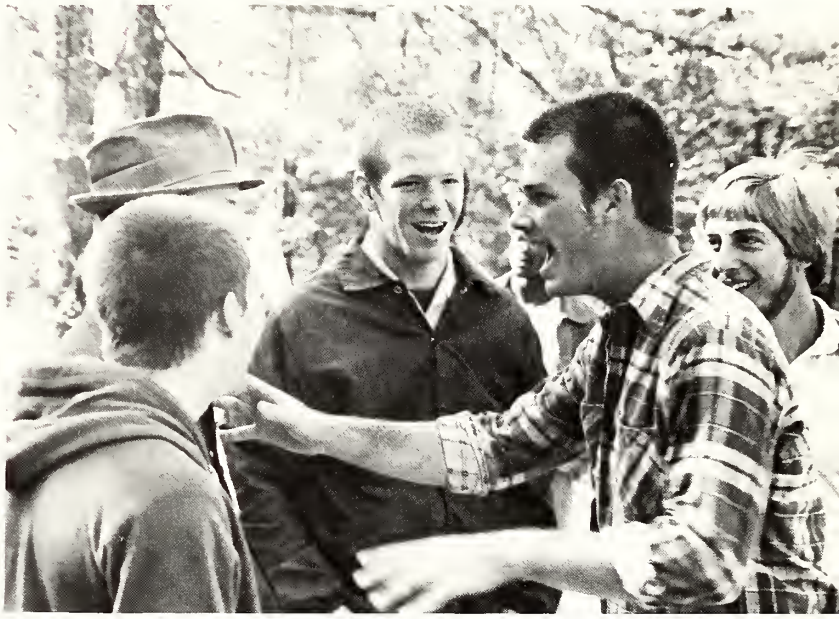
"Abbra-ca-dabbra . . ."

. . . Spectating Volleyball And Cross-Country,

"Some day my prince will come . . ."

"Go Lady Scots!"

"A close finish."



. . . Getting A Little Crazy Sometimes,

"Modern art at C.C."

"The dirty dozen prepare for Iran."

"Thanks for the breakfast, Trish;
"How about a moose kiss?"

"Give me liberty or give me death!"

"One flew over the cuckoo's nest."

. . . Doing Our Own Thing,

"To eat or not to eat, that is the question."

"Whose mom wears army boots?"

"A good deal and a good deal more."

"Looks like we're in another tight squeeze."

"Hee, hee, will that be all?"

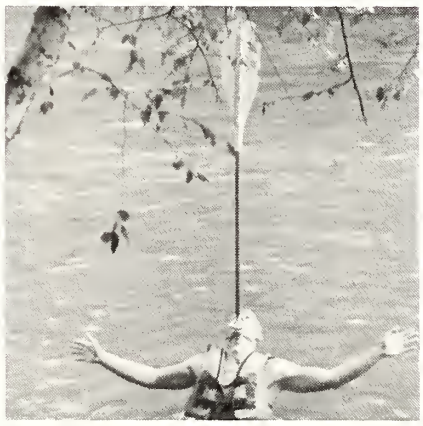
. . . Expressing Ourselves,

"I am the potter, you are the clay!"

"Lute-iful music at the madrigal dinner."

"Kellog's night life."

"Back stage at the Tempest."



"Open mouth, insert paddle."

"Maybelline . . . fine eye makeup, sensibly priced!"

. . . Having Fun Together,

"Listen, kid, nothing beats a great pair of legs."

"Always and forever . . ."

"Oh, Christmas tree . . ."

"Oh my gosh!"

"Twas the night before Christmas and all through the lobby . . ."

Who will it be?"

. . . And Developing Friendships.

"Making the lobby scene."

"You've got to be kidding!"

"Did they send money?"

SPRING 1980

Spring Semester At Covenant

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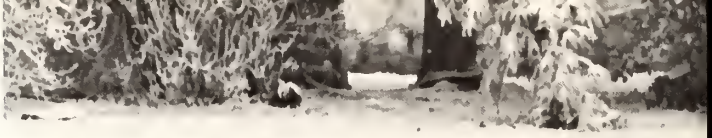

. . . Playing In The Snow,

. . . Continuing Our Studies,

. . . Cheering On Our Basketball

And Baseball Teams,

. . . Enjoying Our Friends,

. . . And Working At What We Like To Do.

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. . . And Saying Goodbye.

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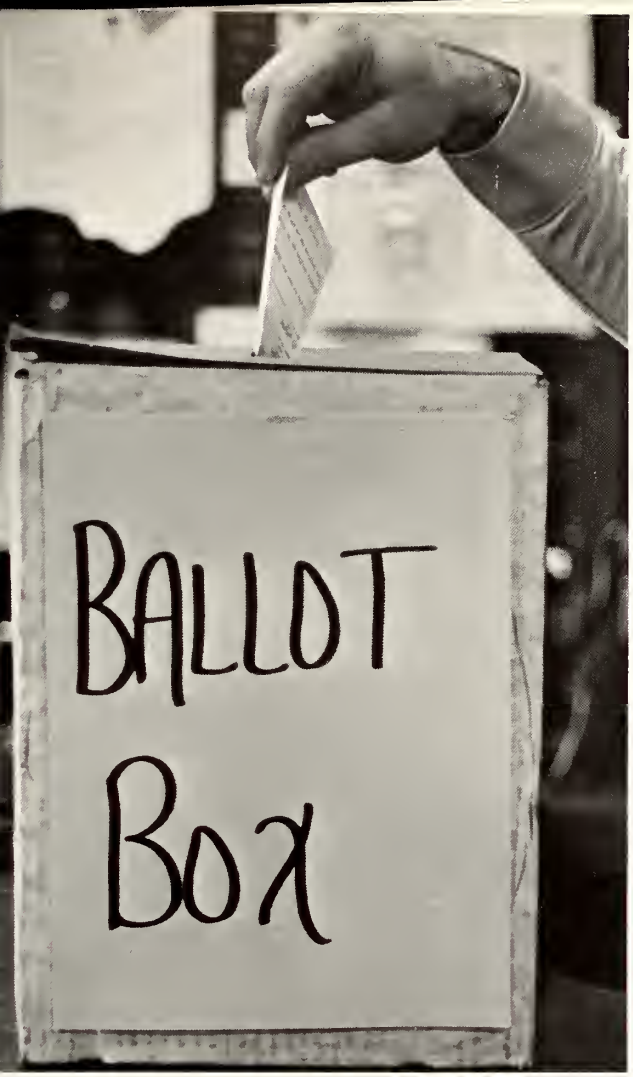
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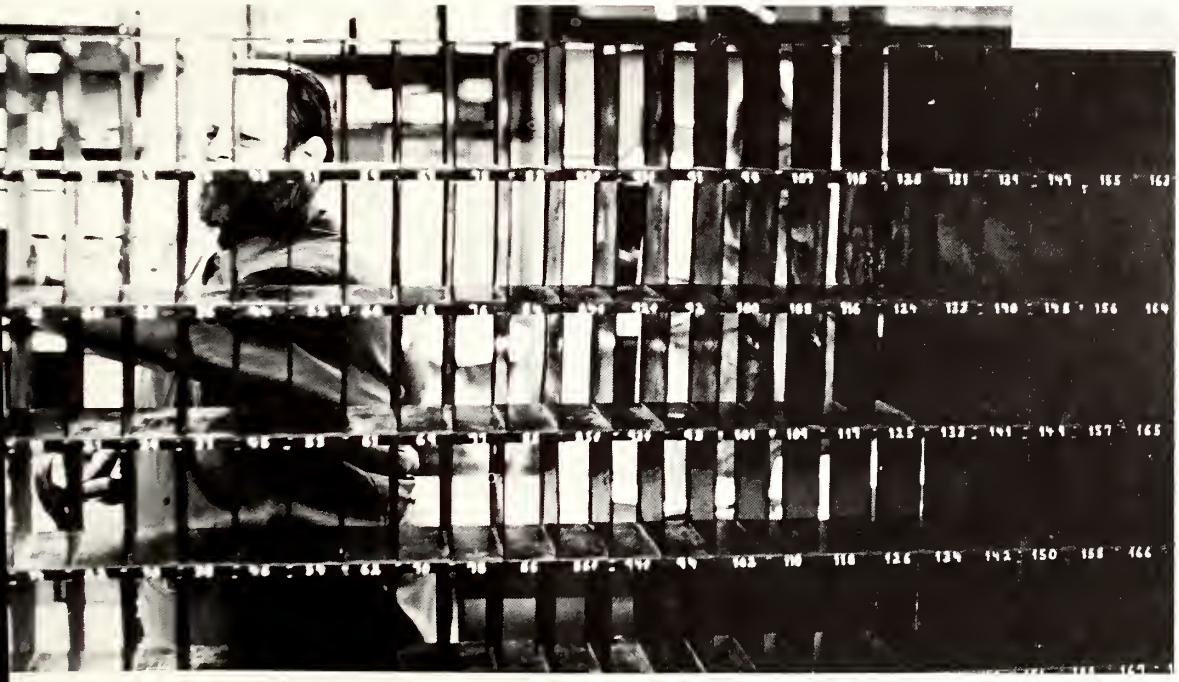

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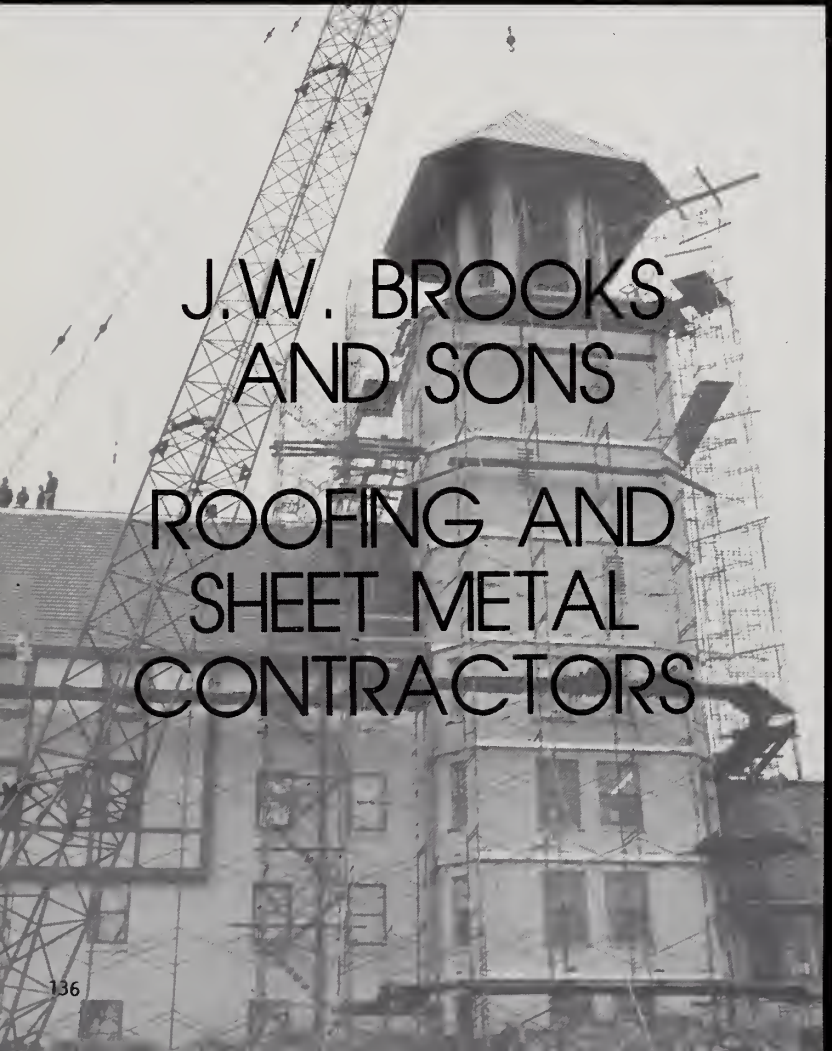

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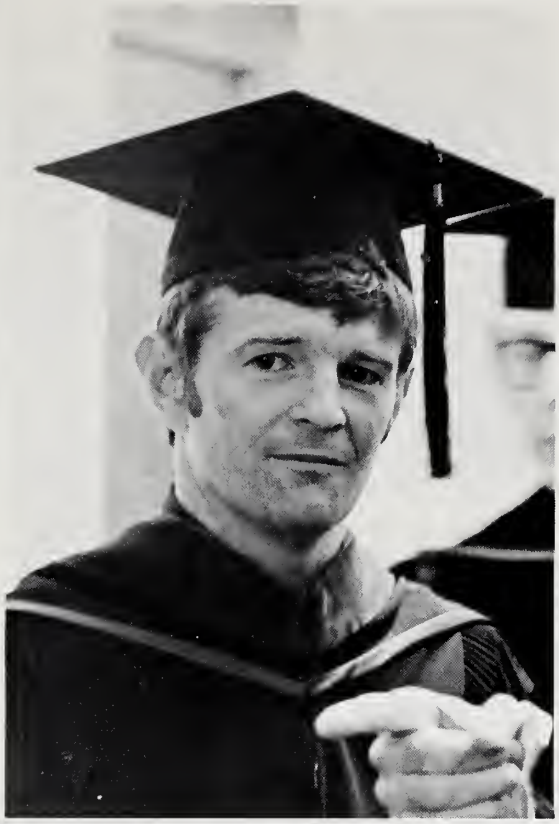

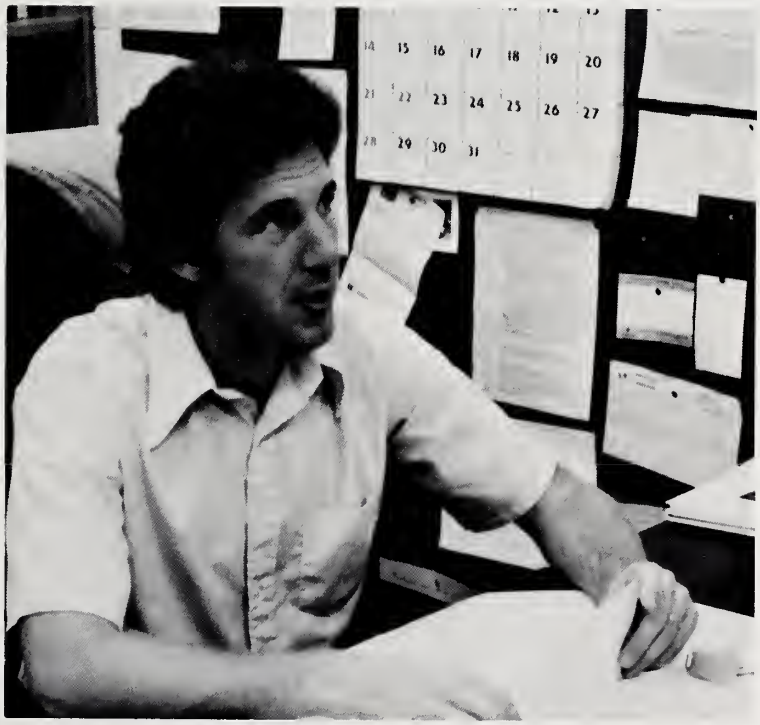

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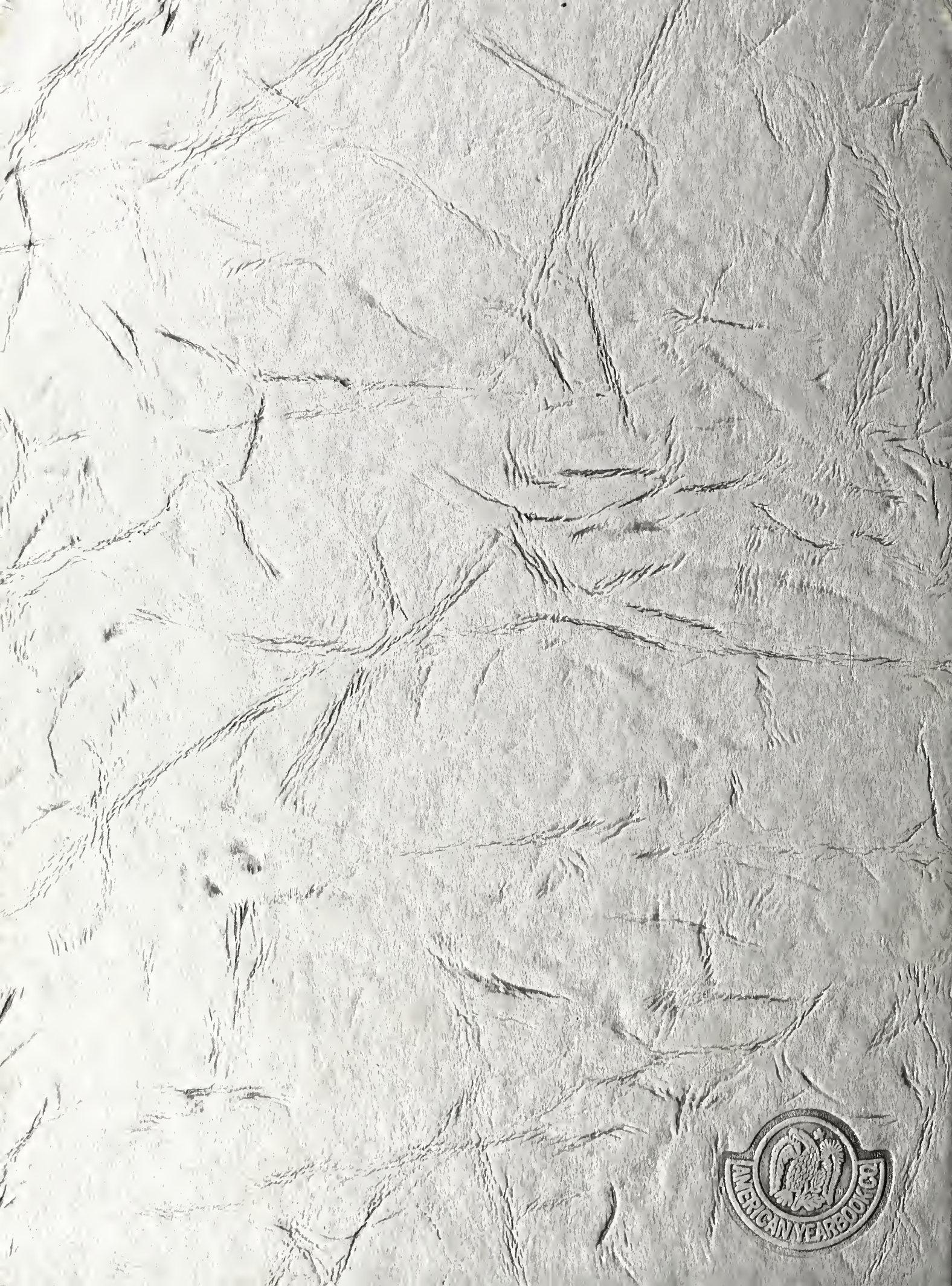
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